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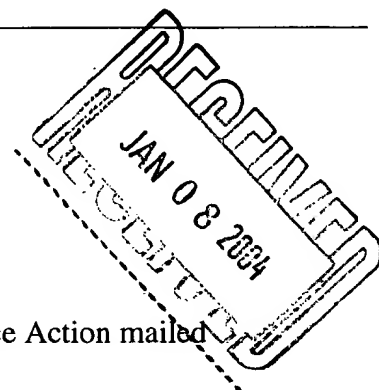
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### TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed November 5, 2003 for the above-identified application:

- ☒ Reply and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time
- ☒ Request for Approval of Drawing Changes (including new FIG. 1)
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (including Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal; Form PTO SB/08; copies of four (4) copending patent applications; and copies of forty (40) cited references)
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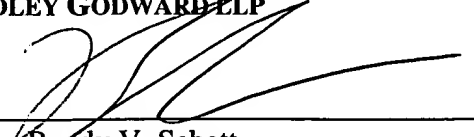
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**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGES**

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, Applicants respectfully request that Figure 1 be added to this application.

Should the Examiner have any questions regarding these drawing changes, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned.

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